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--- B. BANGKOK 25470 (DTG 0410442 DEC 75)

JOINT STATE/DEFENSE MESSAGE

1. WE ARE NOT YET PREPARED TO AUTHORIZE FINAL NOTIFICATION TO THE RTG OF THE ICS TURNOVER, PRIMARILY BECAUSE THE ACCOUNTABILITY PROBLEM HAS NOT BEEN WORKED OUT. IN THIS REGARD, THE INFORMATION IN PARA 2 REFTEL (A) IS INCORRECT, I.E. THAT ICS COULD BE TRANSFERRED AT "NO COST" IF A "WRITTEN AGREEMENT" WERE USED. THERE MUST BE FUNDING SECRET

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ACCOUNTABILITY.

- 2. WE ARE ALSO CONSIDERING WHETHER CIRCULAR 175 AUTHORITY (11 FAM 700) MUST BE OBTAINED BEFORE THE ICS TURNOVER MAY BE COMPLETED. IN VIEW OF THE MAGNITUDE OF THE INVESTMENT, IT IS MOST PROBABLE THAT IT WILL BE REQUIRED. THE THAI MAY NOT BE NOTIFIED UNTIL SUCH AUTHORIZATION IS OBTAINED.
- 3. THE DRAFT TURNOVER AGREEMENT WAS RECEIVED DECEMBER 1 AND COPIES HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED FOR STUDY TO THE APPROPRIATE OFFICES IN STATE AND DOD. INGERSOLL

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